

City of Scottsdale Environmental Quality Advisory Board Water Committee

7:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 18th, 2007 Mimi's Café 8980 E Shea Blvd.

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PRESENT: Bill Gill, Chair

Brian Munson Don Manthe

STAFF: Marshall Brown, Water Resources Planning and Engineering Director

Beth Miller, Water Resources Advisor

Chair Bill Gill called the meeting to order at 7:30 am.

1. Update on Water Conservation programs.

Beth Miller provided an update on the status of the City's water conservation rebate and public information programs. She noted the decreasing number of hot water recirculation system rebates being processed and also indicated that the Water Conservation office was evaluating the feasibility of offering a rebate for water conserving washing machines. The committee members expressed appreciation for the continuing updates on the program.

2. Reclaimed water reuse and salinity update.

Marshall Brown briefed the committee members on the status of discussions with the RWDS golf courses regarding the funding of improvements to the Water Campus water reclamation facility to reduce salinity. Mr. Brown reported that the golf courses and the City had had ongoing negotiations, and that the City was hopeful that a win-win solution could be reached. The Committee members expressed support for the City's position and offered their support and assistance in reaching resolution.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 a.m.